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THIS IS A COMMUNICATION FROM THE EXAMINER  
IN CHARGE OF YOUR APPLICATION.

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☒ This application has been examined.

☐ Responsive to communication filed on \_\_\_\_\_.

☒ This action is made final.

A SHORTENED STATUTORY PERIOD FOR RESPONSE TO THIS ACTION IS SET TO EXPIRE THREE MONTH(S)  
\_\_\_\_\_ DAYS FROM THE DATE OF THIS LETTER.

FAILURE TO RESPOND WITHIN THE PERIOD FOR RESPONSE WILL CAUSE THE APPLICATION TO BECOME ABANDONED.  
35 U.S.C. 133

**PART I THE FOLLOWING ATTACHMENT(S) ARE PART OF THIS ACTION:**

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| 1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Notice of References Cited, Form PTO-892.   | 2. <input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Informal patent Drawing, PTO-948. |
| 3. <input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Informal Patent Application,<br>Form PTO-152 | 4. <input type="checkbox"/>   |

**PART II SUMMARY OF ACTION**

- ☒ Claims 1-4 are pending in the application.  
Of the above, claims \_\_\_\_\_ are withdrawn from consideration.
- ☐ Claims \_\_\_\_\_ have been cancelled.
- ☐ Claims \_\_\_\_\_ are allowed.
- ☒ Claims 1-4 are rejected.
- ☐ Claims \_\_\_\_\_ are objected to.
- ☐ Claims \_\_\_\_\_ are subject to restriction or election requirement.
- ☐ The formal drawings filed on \_\_\_\_\_ are acceptable.
- ☐ The drawing correction request filed on \_\_\_\_\_ has been ☐ approved.  
☐ disapproved.
- ☐ Acknowledgement is made of the claim for priority under 35 U.S.C. 119. The certified copy has  
☐ been received. ☐ been filed in parent application;  
☐ not been received. ☐ serial no. \_\_\_\_\_ filed on \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Since this application appears to be in condition for allowance except for formal matters, prosecution as to the merits is closed in accordance with the practice under Ex parte Quayle, 1935 C.D. 11; 453 OG. 213.
- ☐ Other